

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

NIZARD et al.

Serial No.: 09/937,848

Group Art Unit: 1617

Filed: January 18, 2002

Examiner: L. Wells

For: **COSMETIC COMPOSITION COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE SUBSTANCE
PROMOTING THE FORMATION OF CONNEXIN, USE AND METHOD OF COSMETIC
TREATMENT**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136

and

FEE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.17

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows

- ☐ One-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated ____ (\$110.00 fee)
- ☐ Two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated ____ (\$420.00 fee)
- ☒ Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated 09/23/03 (950.00 fee)
- ☐ Four-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated ____ (\$1,480.00 fee)
- ☒ A check including the above-indicated amount is enclosed. If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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